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Making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

June 4, 2014

Mr. Aderholt, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the following bill; which was committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed

A BILL

Making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015, and for other purposes.

1	Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
2	tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
3	That the following sums are appropriated, out of any
4	money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for Ag-
5	riculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administra-
6	tion, and Related Agencies programs for fiscal year ending
7	September 30, 2015, and for other purposes, namely:
8	TITLE I
9	AGRICULTURAL PROGRAMS
10	Production, Processing, and Marketing
11	Office of the Secretary
12	(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
13	For necessary expenses of the Office of the Secretary,
14	\$41,284,000, of which not to exceed \$5,051,000 shall be
15	available for the immediate Office of the Secretary; not
16	to exceed \$498,000 shall be available for the Office of
17	Tribal Relations; not to exceed \$1,507,000 shall be avail-
18	able for the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency
19	Coordination; not to exceed \$1,209,000 shall be available
20	for the Office of Advocacy and Outreach; not to exceed
21	\$26,115,000 shall be available for the Office of the Assist-
22	ant Secretary for Administration, of which \$22,811,000
23	shall be available for Departmental Administration to pro-
24	vide for necessary expenses for management support serv-
25	ices to offices of the Department and for general adminis-

- 1 tration, security, repairs and alterations, and other mis-
- 2 cellaneous supplies and expenses not otherwise provided
- 3 for and necessary for the practical and efficient work of
- 4 the Department; not to exceed \$3,869,000 shall be avail-
- 5 able for the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Congres-
- 6 sional Relations to carry out the programs funded by this
- 7 Act, including programs involving intergovernmental af-
- 8 fairs and liaison within the executive branch; and not to
- 9 exceed \$5,535,000 shall be available for the Office of Com-
- 10 munications: *Provided*, That the Secretary of Agriculture
- 11 is authorized to transfer funds appropriated for any office
- 12 of the Office of the Secretary to any other office of the
- 13 Office of the Secretary: Provided further, That no appro-
- 14 priation for any office shall be increased or decreased by
- 15 more than 5 percent: Provided further, That not to exceed
- 16 \$11,000 of the amount made available under this para-
- 17 graph for the immediate Office of the Secretary shall be
- 18 available for official reception and representation ex-
- 19 penses, not otherwise provided for, as determined by the
- 20 Secretary: Provided further, That the amount made avail-
- 21 able under this heading for Departmental Administration
- 22 shall be reimbursed from applicable appropriations in this
- 23 Act for travel expenses incident to the holding of hearings
- 24 as required by 5 U.S.C. 551—558: Provided further, That
- 25 funds made available under this heading for the Office of

- 1 the Assistant Secretary for Congressional Relations may
- 2 be transferred to agencies of the Department of Agri-
- 3 culture funded by this Act to maintain personnel at the
- 4 agency level: Provided further, That no funds made avail-
- 5 able under this heading for the Office of the Assistant Sec-
- 6 retary for Congressional Relations may be obligated after
- 7 30 days from the date of enactment of this Act, unless
- 8 the Secretary has notified the Committees on Appropria-
- 9 tions of both Houses of Congress on the allocation of these
- 10 funds by USDA agency.
- 11 EXECUTIVE OPERATIONS
- 12 OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ECONOMIST
- For necessary expenses of the Office of the Chief
- 14 Economist, \$16,777,000, of which \$4,000,000 shall be for
- 15 grants or cooperative agreements for policy research under
- 16 7 U.S.C. 3155.
- 17 NATIONAL APPEALS DIVISION
- 18 For necessary expenses of the National Appeals Divi-
- 19 sion, \$13,317,000.
- OFFICE OF BUDGET AND PROGRAM ANALYSIS
- 21 For necessary expenses of the Office of Budget and
- 22 Program Analysis, \$9,392,000.
- Office of the Chief Information Officer
- 24 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Chief In-
- 25 formation Officer, \$45,025,000, of which not less than

- 1 \$22,000,000 is for cybersecurity requirements of the De-
- 2 partment.
- 3 OFFICE OF THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER
- 4 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Chief Fi-
- 5 nancial Officer, \$6,028,000.
- 6 OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR CIVIL
- 7 RIGHTS
- 8 For necessary expenses of the Office of the Assistant
- 9 Secretary for Civil Rights, \$898,000.
- 10 Office of Civil Rights
- 11 For necessary expenses of the Office of Civil Rights,
- 12 \$24,070,000.
- 13 AGRICULTURE BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES
- 14 For payment of space rental and related costs pursu-
- 15 ant to Public Law 92–313, including authorities pursuant
- 16 to the 1984 delegation of authority from the Adminis-
- 17 trator of General Services to the Department of Agri-
- 18 culture under 40 U.S.C. 121, for programs and activities
- 19 of the Department which are included in this Act, and for
- 20 alterations and other actions needed for the Department
- 21 and its agencies to consolidate unneeded space into con-
- 22 figurations suitable for release to the Administrator of
- 23 General Services, and for the operation, maintenance, im-
- 24 provement, and repair of Agriculture buildings and facili-
- 25 ties, and for related costs, \$54,825,000, to remain avail-

- 1 able until expended, for building operations and mainte-
- 2 nance expenses: *Provided*, That the Secretary may use un-
- 3 obligated prior year balances of an agency or office that
- 4 are no longer available for new obligation to cover short-
- 5 falls incurred in prior year rental payments for such agen-
- 6 cy or office.
- 7 Hazardous Materials Management
- 8 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
- 9 For necessary expenses of the Department of Agri-
- 10 culture, to comply with the Comprehensive Environmental
- 11 Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (42 U.S.C.
- 12 9601 et seq.) and the Resource Conservation and Recovery
- 13 Act (42 U.S.C. 6901 et seq.), \$3,600,000, to remain avail-
- 14 able until expended: Provided, That appropriations and
- 15 funds available herein to the Department for Hazardous
- 16 Materials Management may be transferred to any agency
- 17 of the Department for its use in meeting all requirements
- 18 pursuant to the above Acts on Federal and non-Federal
- 19 lands.
- 20 Office of Inspector General
- 21 For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector
- 22 General, including employment pursuant to the Inspector
- 23 General Act of 1978, \$97,020,000, including such sums
- 24 as may be necessary for contracting and other arrange-
- 25 ments with public agencies and private persons pursuant

- 1 to section 6(a)(9) of the Inspector General Act of 1978,
- 2 and including not to exceed \$125,000 for certain confiden-
- 3 tial operational expenses, including the payment of inform-
- 4 ants, to be expended under the direction of the Inspector
- 5 General pursuant to Public Law 95–452 and section 1337
- 6 of Public Law 97–98.
- 7 Office of the General Counsel
- 8 For necessary expenses of the Office of the General
- 9 Counsel, \$44,383,000.
- 10 Office of Ethics
- 11 For necessary expenses of the Office of Ethics,
- 12 \$3,440,000.
- 13 Office of the Under Secretary for Research,
- 14 EDUCATION, AND ECONOMICS
- For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under
- 16 Secretary for Research, Education, and Economics,
- 17 \$898,000.
- 18 Economic Research Service
- For necessary expenses of the Economic Research
- 20 Service, \$85,784,000.
- 21 NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS SERVICE
- For necessary expenses of the National Agricultural
- 23 Statistics Service, \$169,371,000, of which up to
- 24 \$47,842,000 shall be available until expended for the Cen-
- 25 sus of Agriculture: *Provided*, That amounts made available

- 1 for the Census of Agriculture may be used to conduct Cur-
- 2 rent Industrial Report surveys subject to 7 U.S.C.
- 3 2204g(d) and (f).
- 4 AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH SERVICE
- 5 SALARIES AND EXPENSES
- 6 For necessary expenses of the Agricultural Research
- 7 Service and for acquisition of lands by donation, exchange,
- 8 or purchase at a nominal cost not to exceed \$100, and
- 9 for land exchanges where the lands exchanged shall be of
- 10 equal value or shall be equalized by a payment of money
- 11 to the grantor which shall not exceed 25 percent of the
- 12 total value of the land or interests transferred out of Fed-
- 13 eral ownership, \$1,120,253,000: Provided, That appro-
- 14 priations hereunder shall be available for the operation
- 15 and maintenance of aircraft and the purchase of not to
- 16 exceed one for replacement only: Provided further, That
- 17 appropriations hereunder shall be available pursuant to 7
- 18 U.S.C. 2250 for the construction, alteration, and repair
- 19 of buildings and improvements, but unless otherwise pro-
- 20 vided, the cost of constructing any one building shall not
- 21 exceed \$375,000, except for headhouses or greenhouses
- 22 which shall each be limited to \$1,200,000, and except for
- 23 10 buildings to be constructed or improved at a cost not
- 24 to exceed \$750,000 each, and the cost of altering any one
- 25 building during the fiscal year shall not exceed 10 percent

of the current replacement value of the building or \$375,000, whichever is greater: Provided further, That the limitations on alterations contained in this Act shall not 4 apply to modernization or replacement of existing facilities 5 at Beltsville, Maryland: Provided further, That appropriations hereunder shall be available for granting easements 6 at the Beltsville Agricultural Research Center: Provided 8 further, That the foregoing limitations shall not apply to replacement of buildings needed to carry out the Act of 10 April 24, 1948 (21 U.S.C. 113a): *Provided further*, That appropriations hereunder shall be available for granting 11 12 easements at any Agricultural Research Service location for the construction of a research facility by a non-Federal entity for use by, and acceptable to, the Agricultural Re-14 15 search Service and a condition of the easements shall be that upon completion the facility shall be accepted by the 16 17 Secretary, subject to the availability of funds herein, if the Secretary finds that acceptance of the facility is in the 18 interest of the United States: Provided further, That funds 19 may be received from any State, other political subdivi-20 21 sion, organization, or individual for the purpose of establishing or operating any research facility or research project of the Agricultural Research Service, as authorized

24 by law.

1	BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES
2	For the acquisition of land, construction, repair, im-
3	provement, extension, alteration, and purchase of fixed
4	equipment or facilities as necessary to carry out the agri-
5	cultural research programs of the Department of Agri-
6	culture, where not otherwise provided, $\$155,000,000$ to re-
7	main available until expended.
8	NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE
9	RESEARCH AND EDUCATION ACTIVITIES
10	For payments to agricultural experiment stations, for
11	cooperative forestry and other research, for facilities, and
12	for other expenses, \$774,465,000, which shall be for the
13	purposes, and in the amounts, specified in the table titled
14	"National Institute of Food and Agriculture, Research
15	and Education Activities" in the report accompanying this
16	Act: Provided, That funds for research grants for 1994
17	institutions, education grants for 1890 institutions, the
18	agriculture and food research initiative, veterinary medi-
19	cine loan repayment, multicultural scholars, graduate fel-
20	lowship and institution challenge grants, and grants man-
21	agement systems shall remain available until expended:
22	Provided further, That each institution eligible to receive
23	funds under the Evans–Allen program receives no less
24	than \$1,000,000: Provided further, That funds for edu-
25	cation grants for Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian-

- 1 serving institutions be made available to individual eligible
- 2 institutions or consortia of eligible institutions with funds
- 3 awarded equally to each of the States of Alaska and Ha-
- 4 waii: Provided further, That funds for education grants for
- 5 1890 institutions shall be made available to institutions
- 6 eligible to receive funds under 7 U.S.C. 3221 and 3222:
- 7 Provided further, That not more than 5 percent of the
- 8 amounts made available by this or any other Act to carry
- 9 out the Agriculture and Food Research Initiative under
- 10 7 U.S.C. 450i(b) may be retained by the Secretary of Ag-
- 11 riculture to pay administrative costs incurred by the Sec-
- 12 retary in carrying out that authority.
- 13 NATIVE AMERICAN INSTITUTIONS ENDOWMENT FUND
- 14 For the Native American Institutions Endowment
- 15 Fund authorized by Public Law 103–382 (7 U.S.C. 301
- 16 note), \$11,880,000, to remain available until expended.
- 17 EXTENSION ACTIVITIES
- 18 For payments to States, the District of Columbia,
- 19 Puerto Rico, Guam, the Virgin Islands, Micronesia, the
- 20 Northern Marianas, and American Samoa, \$467,339,000,
- 21 which shall be for the purposes, and in the amounts, speci-
- 22 fied in the table titled "National Institute of Food and
- 23 Agriculture, Extension Activities" in the report accom-
- 24 panying this Act: Provided, That funds for facility im-
- 25 provements at 1890 institutions shall remain available

- 1 until expended: Provided further, That institutions eligible
- 2 to receive funds under 7 U.S.C. 3221 for cooperative ex-
- 3 tension receive no less than \$1,000,000: Provided further,
- 4 That funds for cooperative extension under sections 3(b)
- 5 and (c) of the Smith-Lever Act (7 U.S.C. 343(b) and (c))
- 6 and section 208(c) of Public Law 93-471 shall be avail-
- 7 able for retirement and employees' compensation costs for
- 8 extension agents.

9 INTEGRATED ACTIVITIES

- 10 For the integrated research, education, and extension
- 11 grants programs, including necessary administrative ex-
- 12 penses, \$32,000,000, which shall be for the purposes, and
- 13 in the amounts, specified in the table titled "National In-
- 14 stitute of Food and Agriculture, Integrated Activities" in
- 15 the report accompanying this Act: Provided, That funds
- 16 for the Food and Agriculture Defense Initiative shall re-
- 17 main available until September 30, 2016.
- 18 Office of the Under Secretary for Marketing
- 19 AND REGULATORY PROGRAMS
- For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under
- 21 Secretary for Marketing and Regulatory Programs,
- 22 \$898,000.

1	Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service
2	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
3	(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
4	For necessary expenses of the Animal and Plant
5	Health Inspection Service, including up to \$30,000 for
6	representation allowances and for expenses pursuant to
7	the Foreign Service Act of 1980 (22 U.S.C. 4085),
8	\$867,505,000, of which \$470,000, to remain available
9	until expended, shall be available for the control of out-
10	breaks of insects, plant diseases, animal diseases and for
11	control of pest animals and birds (contingency fund) to
12	the extent necessary to meet emergency conditions; of
13	which \$11,520,000, to remain available until expended,
14	shall be used for the cotton pests program for cost share
15	purposes or for debt retirement for active eradication
16	zones; of which \$35,339,000, to remain available until ex-
17	pended, shall be for Animal Health Technical Services; of
18	which \$697,000 shall be for activities under the authority
19	of the Horse Protection Act of 1970, as amended (15
20	U.S.C. 1831); of which \$52,340,000, to remain available
21	until expended, shall be used to support avian health; of
22	which \$4,251,000, to remain available until expended,
23	shall be for information technology infrastructure; of
24	which \$156,500,000, to remain available until expended,
25	shall be for specialty crop pests; of which, \$8,826,000, to

remain available until expended, shall be for field crop and 2 rangeland ecosystem pests; of which \$47,417,000, to re-3 main available until expended, shall be for tree and wood 4 pests; of which \$4,222,000, to remain available until expended, shall be for the National Veterinary Stockpile; of which up to \$1,500,000, to remain available until ex-6 pended, shall be for the scrapie program for indemnities; 8 of which \$1,500,000, to remain available until expended, 9 shall be for the wildlife damage management program for 10 aviation safety: *Provided*, That of amounts available under this heading for wildlife services methods development, 11 12 \$1,000,000 shall remain available until expended: Provided further, That of amounts available under this heading for the screwworm program, \$4,990,000 shall remain 14 15 available until expended: Provided further, That no funds shall be used to formulate or administer a brucellosis 16 17 eradication program for the current fiscal year that does 18 not require minimum matching by the States of at least 19 40 percent: Provided further, That this appropriation shall 20 be available for the operation and maintenance of aircraft 21 and the purchase of not to exceed four, of which two shall be for replacement only: Provided further, That in addi-23 tion, in emergencies which threaten any segment of the agricultural production industry of this country, the Secretary may transfer from other appropriations or funds

- 1 available to the agencies or corporations of the Depart-
- 2 ment such sums as may be deemed necessary, to be avail-
- 3 able only in such emergencies for the arrest and eradi-
- 4 cation of contagious or infectious disease or pests of ani-
- 5 mals, poultry, or plants, and for expenses in accordance
- 6 with sections 10411 and 10417 of the Animal Health Pro-
- 7 tection Act (7 U.S.C. 8310 and 8316) and sections 431
- 8 and 442 of the Plant Protection Act (7 U.S.C. 7751 and
- 9 7772), and any unexpended balances of funds transferred
- 10 for such emergency purposes in the preceding fiscal year
- 11 shall be merged with such transferred amounts: Provided
- 12 further, That appropriations hereunder shall be available
- 13 pursuant to law (7 U.S.C. 2250) for the repair and alter-
- 14 ation of leased buildings and improvements, but unless
- 15 otherwise provided the cost of altering any one building
- 16 during the fiscal year shall not exceed 10 percent of the
- 17 current replacement value of the building.
- 18 In fiscal year 2015, the agency is authorized to collect
- 19 fees to cover the total costs of providing technical assist-
- 20 ance, goods, or services requested by States, other political
- 21 subdivisions, domestic and international organizations,
- 22 foreign governments, or individuals, provided that such
- 23 fees are structured such that any entity's liability for such
- 24 fees is reasonably based on the technical assistance, goods,
- 25 or services provided to the entity by the agency, and such

- fees shall be reimbursed to this account, to remain avail-2 able until expended, without further appropriation, for 3 providing such assistance, goods, or services. 4 BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES 5 For plans, construction, repair, preventive maintenance, environmental support, improvement, extension, alteration, and purchase of fixed equipment or facilities, as 8 authorized by 7 U.S.C. 2250, and acquisition of land as authorized by 7 U.S.C. 428a, \$3,175,000, to remain avail-10 able until expended. 11 AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE 12 MARKETING SERVICES 13 For necessary expenses of the Agricultural Marketing 14 Service, \$81,192,000: Provided, That this appropriation 15 shall be available pursuant to law (7 U.S.C. 2250) for the alteration and repair of buildings and improvements, but 16 the cost of altering any one building during the fiscal year 17 18 shall not exceed 10 percent of the current replacement
- Fees may be collected for the cost of standardization
- 21 activities, as established by regulation pursuant to law (31
- 22 U.S.C. 9701).

value of the building.

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- 23 LIMITATION ON ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES
- Not to exceed \$60,709,000 (from fees collected) shall
- 25 be obligated during the current fiscal year for administra-

- 1 tive expenses: *Provided*, That if crop size is understated
- 2 or other uncontrollable events occur, the agency may ex-
- 3 ceed this limitation by up to 10 percent with notification
- 4 to the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of
- 5 Congress.
- 6 FUNDS FOR STRENGTHENING MARKETS, INCOME, AND
- 7 SUPPLY (SECTION 32)
- 8 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
- 9 Funds available under section 32 of the Act of Au-
- 10 gust 24, 1935 (7 U.S.C. 612c), shall be used only for com-
- 11 modity program expenses as authorized therein, and other
- 12 related operating expenses, except for: (1) transfers to the
- 13 Department of Commerce as authorized by the Fish and
- 14 Wildlife Act of August 8, 1956; (2) transfers otherwise
- 15 provided in this Act; and (3) not more than \$20,056,000
- 16 for formulation and administration of marketing agree-
- 17 ments and orders pursuant to the Agricultural Marketing
- 18 Agreement Act of 1937 and the Agricultural Act of 1961.
- 19 PAYMENTS TO STATES AND POSSESSIONS
- For payments to departments of agriculture, bureaus
- 21 and departments of markets, and similar agencies for
- 22 marketing activities under section 204(b) of the Agricul-
- 23 tural Marketing Act of 1946 (7 U.S.C. 1623(b)),
- 24 \$1,235,000.

1	Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards
2	ADMINISTRATION
3	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
4	For necessary expenses of the Grain Inspection,
5	Packers and Stockyards Administration, \$43,722,000:
6	Provided, That this appropriation shall be available pursu-
7	ant to law (7 U.S.C. 2250) for the alteration and repair
8	of buildings and improvements, but the cost of altering
9	any one building during the fiscal year shall not exceed
10	10 percent of the current replacement value of the build-
11	ing.
12	LIMITATION ON INSPECTION AND WEIGHING SERVICES
13	EXPENSES
14	Not to exceed $$50,000,000$ (from fees collected) shall
14 15	Not to exceed \$50,000,000 (from fees collected) shall be obligated during the current fiscal year for inspection
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15 16	be obligated during the current fiscal year for inspection and weighing services: <i>Provided</i> , That if grain export ac-
15 16 17	be obligated during the current fiscal year for inspection and weighing services: <i>Provided</i> , That if grain export ac-
15 16 17 18	be obligated during the current fiscal year for inspection and weighing services: <i>Provided</i> , That if grain export ac- tivities require additional supervision and oversight, or
15 16 17	be obligated during the current fiscal year for inspection and weighing services: <i>Provided</i> , That if grain export ac- tivities require additional supervision and oversight, or other uncontrollable factors occur, this limitation may be
15 16 17 18	be obligated during the current fiscal year for inspection and weighing services: <i>Provided</i> , That if grain export activities require additional supervision and oversight, or other uncontrollable factors occur, this limitation may be exceeded by up to 10 percent with notification to the Com-
15 16 17 18 19	be obligated during the current fiscal year for inspection and weighing services: <i>Provided</i> , That if grain export activities require additional supervision and oversight, or other uncontrollable factors occur, this limitation may be exceeded by up to 10 percent with notification to the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress.

1 FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE 2 For necessary expenses to carry out services author-3 ized by the Federal Meat Inspection Act, the Poultry Products Inspection Act, and the Egg Products Inspection 4 5 Act, including not to exceed \$50,000 for representation allowances and for expenses pursuant to section 8 of the 6 approved August 3, 1956 (7)U.S.C. 1766), 8 \$1,005,189,000; and in addition, \$1,000,000 may be credited to this account from fees collected for the cost of lab-10 oratory accreditation as authorized by section 1327 of the Food, Agriculture, Conservation and Trade Act of 1990 12 (7 U.S.C. 138f): *Provided*, That funds provided for the Public Health Data Communication Infrastructure system shall remain available until expended: Provided further, 14 15 That no fewer than 148 full-time equivalent positions shall

18 Humane Methods of Slaughter Act: Provided further, That

be employed during fiscal year 2015 for purposes dedi-

cated solely to inspections and enforcement related to the

- 19 this appropriation shall be available pursuant to law (7
- 20 U.S.C. 2250) for the alteration and repair of buildings
- 21 and improvements, but the cost of altering any one build-
- 22 ing during the fiscal year shall not exceed 10 percent of
- 23 the current replacement value of the building.

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1	OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR FARM AND
2	Foreign Agricultural Services
3	For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under
4	Secretary for Farm and Foreign Agricultural Services,
5	\$898,000.
6	FARM SERVICE AGENCY
7	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
8	(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
9	For necessary expenses of the Farm Service Agency,
10	\$1,205,068,000: Provided, That the Secretary is author-
11	ized to use the services, facilities, and authorities (but not
12	the funds) of the Commodity Credit Corporation to make
13	program payments for all programs administered by the
14	Agency: Provided further, That other funds made available
15	to the Agency for authorized activities may be advanced
16	to and merged with this account: Provided further, That
17	funds made available to county committees shall remain
18	available until expended.
19	STATE MEDIATION GRANTS
20	For grants pursuant to section 502(b) of the Agricul-
21	tural Credit Act of 1987, as amended (7 U.S.C. 5101–
22	5106), \$3,404,000.
23	GRASSROOTS SOURCE WATER PROTECTION PROGRAM
24	For necessary expenses to carry out wellhead or
25	groundwater protection activities under section 12400 of

1	the Food Security Act of 1985 (16 U.S.C. 3839bb-2).
2	\$2,500,000, to remain available until expended.
3	DAIRY INDEMNITY PROGRAM
4	(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)
5	For necessary expenses involved in making indemnity
6	payments to dairy farmers and manufacturers of dairy
7	products under a dairy indemnity program, such sums as
8	may be necessary, to remain available until expended: Pro-
9	vided, That such program is carried out by the Secretary
10	in the same manner as the dairy indemnity program de-
11	scribed in the Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and
12	Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropria-
13	tions Act, 2001 (Public Law 106–387, 114 Stat. 1549A-
14	12).
15	AGRICULTURAL CREDIT INSURANCE FUND PROGRAM
16	ACCOUNT
17	(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
18	For gross obligations for the principal amount of di-
19	rect and guaranteed farm ownership (7 U.S.C. 1922 et
20	seq.) and operating (7 U.S.C. 1941 et seq.) loans, emer-
21	gency loans (7 U.S.C. 1961 et seq.), Indian tribe land ac-
22	quisition loans (25 U.S.C. 488), boll weevil loans (7
23	U.S.C. 1989), guaranteed conservation loans (7 U.S.C.
24	1924 et seq.), and Indian highly fractionated land loans
25	(25 U.S.C. 488) to be available from funds in the Agricul-

- 1 tural Credit Insurance Fund, as follows: \$2,000,000,000
- 2 for guaranteed farm ownership loans and \$1,500,000,000
- 3 for farm ownership direct loans; \$1,393,443,000 for un-
- 4 subsidized guaranteed operating loans and
- 5 \$1,252,004,000 for direct operating loans; emergency
- 6 loans, \$34,667,000; Indian tribe land acquisition loans,
- 7 \$2,000,000; guaranteed conservation loans,
- 8 \$150,000,000; Indian highly fractionated land loans,
- 9 \$10,000,000; and for boll weevil eradication program
- 10 loans, \$60,000,000: Provided, That the Secretary shall
- 11 deem the pink bollworm to be a boll weevil for the purpose
- 12 of boll weevil eradication program loans.
- For the cost of direct and guaranteed loans and
- 14 grants, including the cost of modifying loans as defined
- 15 in section 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974,
- 16 as follows: farm operating loans, \$63,101,000 for direct
- 17 operating loans, \$14,770,000 for unsubsidized guaranteed
- 18 operating loans, and emergency loans, \$856,000, to re-
- 19 main available until expended.
- In addition, for administrative expenses necessary to
- 21 carry out the direct and guaranteed loan programs,
- 22 \$314,918,000, of which \$306,998,000 shall be transferred
- 23 to and merged with the appropriation for "Farm Service
- 24 Agency, Salaries and Expenses".

1 Funds appropriated by this Act to the Agricultural 2 Credit Insurance Program Account for farm ownership, 3 operating and conservation direct loans and guaranteed 4 loans may be transferred among these programs: Provided, That the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress are notified at least 15 days in advance of any transfer. RISK MANAGEMENT AGENCY 8 9 SALARIES AND EXPENSES 10 For necessary expenses of the Risk Management Agency, \$77,094,000: Provided, That not to exceed 11 12 \$1,000 shall be available for official reception and representation expenses, as authorized by 7 U.S.C. 1506(i). 13 14 CORPORATIONS 15 The following corporations and agencies are hereby authorized to make expenditures, within the limits of 16 funds and borrowing authority available to each such corporation or agency and in accord with law, and to make 18 19 contracts and commitments without regard to fiscal year 20 limitations as provided by section 104 of the Government 21 Corporation Control Act as may be necessary in carrying

out the programs set forth in the budget for the current

fiscal year for such corporation or agency, except as here-

inafter provided.

1	FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE CORPORATION FUND
2	For payments as authorized by section 516 of the
3	Federal Crop Insurance Act (7 U.S.C. 1516), such sums
4	as may be necessary, to remain available until expended.
5	COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION FUND
6	REIMBURSEMENT FOR NET REALIZED LOSSES
7	(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
8	For the current fiscal year, such sums as may be nec-
9	essary to reimburse the Commodity Credit Corporation for
10	net realized losses sustained, but not previously reim-
11	bursed, pursuant to section 2 of the Act of August 17,
12	1961 (15 U.S.C. 713a–11): <i>Provided</i> , That of the funds
13	available to the Commodity Credit Corporation under sec-
14	tion 11 of the Commodity Credit Corporation Charter Act
15	(15 U.S.C. 714i) for the conduct of its business with the
16	Foreign Agricultural Service, up to \$5,000,000 may be
17	transferred to and used by the Foreign Agricultural Serv-
18	ice for information resource management activities of the
19	Foreign Agricultural Service that are not related to Com-
20	modity Credit Corporation business.
21	HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT
22	(LIMITATION ON EXPENSES)
23	For the current fiscal year, the Commodity Credit
24	Corporation shall not expend more than \$5,000,000 for
25	site investigation and cleanup expenses, and operations

1	and maintenance expenses to comply with the requirement
2	of section 107(g) of the Comprehensive Environmental
3	Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (42 U.S.C.
4	9607(g)), and section 6001 of the Resource Conservation
5	and Recovery Act (42 U.S.C. 6961).
6	TITLE II
7	CONSERVATION PROGRAMS
8	OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR NATURAL
9	RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT
10	For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under
11	Secretary for Natural Resources and Environment
12	\$898,000.
13	NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE
14	CONSERVATION OPERATIONS
15	For necessary expenses for carrying out the provi-
16	sions of the Act of April 27, 1935 (16 U.S.C. 590a-f).
17	including preparation of conservation plans and establish-
18	ment of measures to conserve soil and water (including
19	farm irrigation and land drainage and such special meas-
20	ures for soil and water management as may be necessary
21	to prevent floods and the siltation of reservoirs and to con-
22	trol agricultural related pollutants); operation of conserva-
23	tion plant materials centers; classification and mapping of
24	soil; dissemination of information; acquisition of lands
25	water, and interests therein for use in the plant materials

1	program by donation, exchange, or purchase at a nomina
2	cost not to exceed \$100 pursuant to the Act of August
3	3, 1956 (7 U.S.C. 428a); purchase and erection or alter-
4	ation or improvement of permanent and temporary build
5	ings; and operation and maintenance of aircraft
6	\$843,053,000, to remain available until September 30
7	2016: Provided, That appropriations hereunder shall be
8	available pursuant to 7 U.S.C. 2250 for construction and
9	improvement of buildings and public improvements as
10	plant materials centers, except that the cost of alterations
11	and improvements to other buildings and other public im-
12	provements shall not exceed \$250,000: Provided further
13	That when buildings or other structures are erected or
14	non-Federal land, that the right to use such land is ob-
15	tained as provided in 7 U.S.C. 2250a.
16	WATERSHED REHABILITATION PROGRAM
17	Under the authorities of section 14 of the Watershed
18	Protection and Flood Prevention Act, \$25,000,000 is pro-
19	vided.
20	TITLE III
21	RURAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS
22	OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR RURAL
23	DEVELOPMENT
24	For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under
25	Secretary for Rural Development \$898,000

1	Rural Development Salaries and Expenses
2	(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
3	For necessary expenses for carrying out the adminis-
4	tration and implementation of programs in the Rural De-
5	velopment mission area, including activities with institu-
6	tions concerning the development and operation of agricul-
7	tural cooperatives; and for cooperative agreements;
8	\$224,201,000: <i>Provided</i> , That no less than \$15,000,000
9	shall be for the Comprehensive Loan Accounting System:
10	Provided further, That notwithstanding any other provi-
11	sion of law, funds appropriated under this heading may
12	be used for advertising and promotional activities that
13	support the Rural Development mission area: Provided
14	further, That any balances available from prior years for
15	the Rural Utilities Service, Rural Housing Service, and
16	the Rural Business-Cooperative Service salaries and ex-
17	penses accounts shall be transferred to and merged with
18	this appropriation.
19	RURAL HOUSING SERVICE
20	RURAL HOUSING INSURANCE FUND PROGRAM ACCOUNT
21	(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
22	For gross obligations for the principal amount of di-
23	rect and guaranteed loans as authorized by title V of the
24	Housing Act of 1949, to be available from funds in the
25	rural housing insurance fund, as follows: \$1,042,276,000

- 1 shall be for direct loans and \$24,000,000,000 shall be for
- 2 unsubsidized guaranteed loans; \$26,372,000 for section
- 3 504 housing repair loans; \$28,398,000 for section 515
- 4 rental housing; \$150,000,000 for section 538 guaranteed
- 5 multi-family housing loans; \$10,000,000 for credit sales
- 6 of single family housing acquired property; \$5,000,000 for
- 7 section 523 self-help housing land development loans; and
- 8 \$5,000,000 for section 524 site development loans.
- 9 For the cost of direct and guaranteed loans, including
- 10 the cost of modifying loans, as defined in section 502 of
- 11 the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, as follows: section
- 12 502 loans, \$76,920,000 shall be for direct loans; section
- 13 504 housing repair loans, \$3,700,000; and repair, rehabili-
- 14 tation, and new construction of section 515 rental housing,
- 15 \$9,800,000: Provided, That to support the loan program
- 16 level for section 538 guaranteed loans made available
- 17 under this heading the Secretary may charge or adjust
- 18 any fees to cover the projected cost of such loan guaran-
- 19 tees pursuant to the provisions of the Credit Reform Act
- 20 of 1990 (2 U.S.C. 661 et seq.), and the interest on such
- 21 loans may not be subsidized: Provided further, That of the
- 22 amounts available under this paragraph for section 502
- 23 direct loans, no less than \$5,000,000 shall be available for
- 24 direct loans for individuals whose homes will be built pur-
- 25 suant to a program funded with a mutual and self-help

- 1 housing grant authorized by section 523 of the Housing
- 2 Act of 1949 until June 1, 2015.
- 3 In addition, for the cost of direct loans, grants, and
- 4 contracts, as authorized by 42 U.S.C. 1484 and 1486,
- 5 \$15,936,000, to remain available until expended, for direct
- 6 farm labor housing loans and domestic farm labor housing
- 7 grants and contracts: Provided, That any balances avail-
- 8 able for the Farm Labor Program Account shall be trans-
- 9 ferred to and merged with this account.
- 10 In addition, for administrative expenses necessary to
- 11 carry out the direct and guaranteed loan programs,
- 12 \$415,100,000 shall be transferred to and merged with the
- 13 appropriation for "Rural Development, Salaries and Ex-
- 14 penses".
- 15 RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
- 16 For rental assistance agreements entered into or re-
- 17 newed pursuant to the authority under section 521(a)(2)
- 18 or agreements entered into in lieu of debt forgiveness or
- 19 payments for eligible households as authorized by section
- 20 502(e)(5)(D) of the Housing Act of 1949,
- 21 \$1,088,500,000; and, in addition, such sums as may be
- 22 necessary, as authorized by section 521(c) of the Act, to
- 23 liquidate debt incurred prior to fiscal year 1992 to carry
- 24 out the rental assistance program under section 521(a)(2)
- 25 of the Act: Provided, That rental assistance agreements

- entered into or renewed during the current fiscal year
 shall be funded for a 1-year period: Provided further, That
- 3 rental assistance contracts will not be renewed within the
- 4 12-month contract period: Provided further, That any un-
- 5 expended balances remaining at the end of such 1-year
- 6 agreements may be transferred and used for the purposes
- 7 of any debt reduction; maintenance, repair, or rehabilita-
- 8 tion of any existing projects; preservation; and rental as-
- 9 sistance activities authorized under title V of the Act: Pro-
- 10 vided further, That rental assistance provided under agree-
- 11 ments entered into prior to fiscal year 2015 for a farm
- 12 labor multi-family housing project financed under section
- 13 514 or 516 of the Act may not be recaptured for use in
- 14 another project until such assistance has remained unused
- 15 for a period of 12 consecutive months, if such project has
- 16 a waiting list of tenants seeking such assistance or the
- 17 project has rental assistance eligible tenants who are not
- 18 receiving such assistance: Provided further, That such re-
- 19 captured rental assistance shall, to the extent practicable,
- 20 be applied to another farm labor multi-family housing
- 21 project financed under section 514 or 516 of the Act.
- 22 MULTI-FAMILY HOUSING REVITALIZATION PROGRAM
- 23 ACCOUNT
- 24 For the rural housing voucher program as authorized
- 25 under section 542 of the Housing Act of 1949, but not-

- 1 withstanding subsection (b) of such section, and for addi-
- 2 tional costs to conduct a demonstration program for the
- 3 preservation and revitalization of multi-family rental hous-
- 4 ing properties described in this paragraph, \$28,000,000,
- 5 to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That of the
- 6 funds made available under this heading, \$8,000,000,
- 7 shall be available for rural housing vouchers to any low-
- 8 income household (including those not receiving rental as-
- 9 sistance) residing in a property financed with a section
- 10 515 loan which has been prepaid after September 30,
- 11 2005: Provided further, That the amount of such voucher
- 12 shall be the difference between comparable market rent
- 13 for the section 515 unit and the tenant paid rent for such
- 14 unit: Provided further, That funds made available for such
- 15 vouchers shall be subject to the availability of annual ap-
- 16 propriations: Provided further, That the Secretary shall,
- 17 to the maximum extent practicable, administer such
- 18 vouchers with current regulations and administrative guid-
- 19 ance applicable to section 8 housing vouchers administered
- 20 by the Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban
- 21 Development: Provided further, That if the Secretary de-
- 22 termines that the amount made available for vouchers in
- 23 this or any other Act is not needed for vouchers, the Sec-
- 24 retary may use such funds for the demonstration program
- 25 for the preservation and revitalization of multi-family

- rental housing properties described in this paragraph: Provided further, That of the funds made available under this heading, \$20,000,000 shall be available for a demonstra-4 tion program for the preservation and revitalization of the sections 514, 515, and 516 multi-family rental housing properties to restructure existing USDA multi-family housing loans, as the Secretary deems appropriate, ex-8 pressly for the purposes of ensuring the project has sufficient resources to preserve the project for the purpose of 10 providing safe and affordable housing for low-income residents and farm laborers including reducing or eliminating interest; deferring loan payments, subordinating, reducing or reamortizing loan debt; and other financial assistance including advances, payments and incentives (including 14
- 16 vestment) required by the Secretary: *Provided further*, 17 That the Secretary shall as part of the preservation and 18 revitalization agreement obtain a restrictive use agreement

the ability of owners to obtain reasonable returns on in-

- 19 consistent with the terms of the restructuring: Provided
- 20 further, That if the Secretary determines that additional
- 21 funds for vouchers described in this paragraph are needed,
- 22 funds for the preservation and revitalization demonstra-
- 23 tion program may be used for such vouchers: Provided fur-
- 24 ther, That if Congress enacts legislation to permanently
- 25 authorize a multi-family rental housing loan restructuring

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- 1 program similar to the demonstration program described
- 2 herein, the Secretary may use funds made available for
- 3 the demonstration program under this heading to carry
- 4 out such legislation with the prior approval of the Commit-
- 5 tees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress: Pro-
- 6 vided further, That in addition to any other available
- 7 funds, the Secretary may expend not more than
- 8 \$1,000,000 total, from the program funds made available
- 9 under this heading, for administrative expenses for activi-
- 10 ties funded under this heading.
- 11 MUTUAL AND SELF-HELP HOUSING GRANTS
- 12 For grants and contracts pursuant to section
- 13 523(b)(1)(A) of the Housing Act of 1949 (42 U.S.C.
- 14 1490c), \$30,000,000, to remain available until expended.
- 15 RURAL HOUSING ASSISTANCE GRANTS
- 16 For grants for very low-income housing repair made
- 17 by the Rural Housing Service, as authorized by 42 U.S.C.
- 18 1474, \$27,000,000, to remain available until expended.
- 19 RURAL COMMUNITY FACILITIES PROGRAM ACCOUNT
- 20 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
- 21 For gross obligations for the principal amount of di-
- 22 rect and guaranteed loans as authorized by section 306
- 23 and described in section 381E(d)(1) of the Consolidated
- 24 Farm and Rural Development Act, \$2,200,000,000 for di-
- 25 rect loans and \$73,222,000 for guaranteed loans.

- 1 For the cost of guaranteed loans, including the cost
- 2 of modifying loans, as defined in section 502 of the Con-
- 3 gressional Budget Act of 1974, \$3,500,000, to remain
- 4 available until expended.
- 5 For the cost of grants for rural community facilities
- 6 programs as authorized by section 306 and described in
- 7 section 381E(d)(1) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural
- 8 Development Act, \$27,000,000, to remain available until
- 9 expended: Provided, That \$5,000,000 of the amount ap-
- 10 propriated under this heading shall be available for a
- 11 Rural Community Development Initiative: Provided fur-
- 12 ther, That such funds shall be used solely to develop the
- 13 capacity and ability of private, nonprofit community-based
- 14 housing and community development organizations, low-
- 15 income rural communities, and Federally Recognized Na-
- 16 tive American Tribes to undertake projects to improve
- 17 housing, community facilities, community and economic
- 18 development projects in rural areas: Provided further,
- 19 That such funds shall be made available to qualified pri-
- 20 vate, nonprofit and public intermediary organizations pro-
- 21 posing to carry out a program of financial and technical
- 22 assistance: Provided further, That such intermediary orga-
- 23 nizations shall provide matching funds from other sources,
- 24 including Federal funds for related activities, in an
- 25 amount not less than funds provided: Provided further,

- 1 That \$5,000,000 of the amount appropriated under this
- 2 heading shall be to provide grants for facilities in rural
- 3 communities with extreme unemployment and severe eco-
- 4 nomic depression (Public Law 106–387), with up to 5 per-
- 5 cent for administration and capacity building in the State
- 6 rural development offices: Provided further, That
- 7 \$4,000,000 of the amount appropriated under this head-
- 8 ing shall be available for community facilities grants to
- 9 tribal colleges, as authorized by section 306(a)(19) of such
- 10 Act: Provided further, That sections 381E-H and 381N
- 11 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act are
- 12 not applicable to the funds made available under this
- 13 heading.
- 14 Rural Business—Cooperative Service
- 15 RURAL BUSINESS PROGRAM ACCOUNT
- 16 (INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
- 17 For the cost of loan guarantees and grants, for the
- 18 rural business development programs authorized by sec-
- 19 tion 310B and described in section 310B (a), (c), and (g)
- 20 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act,
- 21 \$65,000,000, to remain available until expended: Pro-
- 22 vided, That of the amount appropriated under this head-
- 23 ing, not to exceed \$500,000 shall be made available for
- 24 one grant to a qualified national organization to provide
- 25 technical assistance for rural transportation in order to

- 1 promote economic development: Provided further, That
- 2 \$4,000,000 of the amount appropriated under this head-
- 3 ing shall be for business grants to benefit Federally Recog-
- 4 nized Native American Tribes, including \$250,000 for a
- 5 grant to a qualified national organization to provide tech-
- 6 nical assistance for rural transportation in order to pro-
- 7 mote economic development: Provided further, That for
- 8 purposes of determining eligibility or level of program as-
- 9 sistance the Secretary shall not include incarcerated pris-
- 10 on populations: Provided further, That sections 381E-H
- 11 and 381N of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Develop-
- 12 ment Act are not applicable to funds made available under
- 13 this heading.
- 14 INTERMEDIARY RELENDING PROGRAM FUND ACCOUNT
- 15 (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)
- 16 For the principal amount of direct loans, as author-
- 17 ized by the Intermediary Relending Program Fund Ac-
- 18 count (7 U.S.C. 1936b), \$16,234,000.
- 19 For the cost of direct loans, \$5,000,000, as author-
- 20 ized by the Intermediary Relending Program Fund Ac-
- 21 count (7 U.S.C 1936b), of which \$531,000 shall be avail-
- 22 able through June 30, 2015, for Federally Recognized Na-
- 23 tive American Tribes; and of which \$1,021,000 shall be
- 24 available through June 30, 2015, for Mississippi Delta Re-
- 25 gion counties (as determined in accordance with Public

- 1 Law 100–460): Provided, That such costs, including the
- 2 cost of modifying such loans, shall be as defined in section
- 3 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974.
- 4 In addition, for administrative expenses to carry out
- 5 the direct loan programs, \$4,439,000 shall be transferred
- 6 to and merged with the appropriation for "Rural Develop-
- 7 ment, Salaries and Expenses".
- 8 RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT LOANS PROGRAM
- 9 ACCOUNT
- 10 (INCLUDING RESCISSION OF FUNDS)
- 11 For the principal amount of direct loans, as author-
- 12 ized under section 313 of the Rural Electrification Act,
- 13 for the purpose of promoting rural economic development
- 14 and job creation projects, \$59,456,000.
- Of the funds derived from interest on the cushion of
- 16 credit payments, as authorized by section 313 of the Rural
- 17 Electrification Act of 1936, \$155,000,000 shall not be ob-
- 18 ligated and \$155,000,000 are rescinded.
- 19 RURAL COOPERATIVE DEVELOPMENT GRANTS
- For rural cooperative development grants authorized
- 21 under section 310B(e) of the Consolidated Farm and
- 22 Rural Development Act (7 U.S.C. 1932), \$22,050,000, of
- 23 which \$2,500,000 shall be for cooperative agreements for
- 24 the appropriate technology transfer for rural areas pro-
- 25 gram: Provided, That not to exceed \$3,000,000 shall be

- 1 for grants for cooperative development centers, individual
- 2 cooperatives, or groups of cooperatives that serve socially
- 3 disadvantaged groups and a majority of the boards of di-
- 4 rectors or governing boards of which are comprised of in-
- 5 dividuals who are members of socially disadvantaged
- 6 groups; and of which \$10,750,000, to remain available
- 7 until expended, shall be for value-added agricultural prod-
- 8 uct market development grants, as authorized by section
- 9 231 of the Agricultural Risk Protection Act of 2000 (7
- 10 U.S.C. 1632a).
- 11 RURAL ENERGY FOR AMERICA PROGRAM
- For the cost of a program of loan guarantees, under
- 13 the same terms and conditions as authorized by section
- 14 9007 of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of
- 15 2002 (7 U.S.C. 8107), \$3,500,000: *Provided*, That the
- 16 cost of loan guarantees, including the cost of modifying
- 17 such loans, shall be as defined in section 502 of the Con-
- 18 gressional Budget Act of 1974.
- 19 RURAL BUSINESS INVESTMENT PROGRAM ACCOUNT
- For loans for the rural business investment program,
- 21 as authorized by section 384F(b)(3)(A) of the Consoli-
- 22 dated Farm and Rural Development Act, \$4,000,000, to
- 23 remain available until expended.

1	RURAL UTILITIES SERVICE
2	RURAL WATER AND WASTE DISPOSAL PROGRAM ACCOUNT
3	(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
4	For the cost of direct loans, loan guarantees, and
5	grants for the rural water, waste water, waste disposal,
6	and solid waste management programs authorized by sec-
7	tions 306, 306A, 306C, 306D, 306E, and 310B and de-
8	scribed in sections $306C(a)(2)$, $306D$, $306E$, and
9	$381\mathrm{E}(\mathrm{d})(2)$ of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Develop-
10	ment Act, \$466,893,000, to remain available until ex-
11	pended, of which not to exceed \$1,000,000 shall be avail-
12	able for the rural utilities program described in section
13	306(a)(2)(B) of such Act, and of which not to exceed
14	\$993,000 shall be available for the rural utilities program
15	described in section $306\mathrm{E}$ of such Act: $Provided$, That
16	\$66,500,000 of the amount appropriated under this head-
17	ing shall be for loans and grants including water and
18	waste disposal systems grants authorized by
19	306C(a)(2)(B) and $306D$ of the Consolidated Farm and
20	Rural Development Act, Federally recognized Native
21	American Tribes authorized by 306C(a)(1), and the De-
22	partment of Hawaiian Home Lands (of the State of Ha-
23	waii): Provided further, That funding provided for section
24	306D of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development
25	Act may be provided to a consortium formed pursuant to

section 325 of Public Law 105–83: Provided further, That not more than 2 percent of the funding provided for sec-3 tion 306D of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Develop-4 ment Act may be used by the State of Alaska for training 5 and technical assistance programs and not more than 2 percent of the funding provided for section 306D of the 6 Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act may be 8 used by a consortium formed pursuant to section 325 of Public Law 105–83 for training and technical assistance 10 programs: Provided further, That not to \$19,000,000 of the amount appropriated under this head-11 ing shall be for technical assistance grants for rural water 12 and waste systems pursuant to section 306(a)(14) of such Act, unless the Secretary makes a determination of ex-14 15 treme need, of which \$6,000,000 shall be made available for a grant to a qualified non-profit multi-state regional 16 technical assistance organization, with experience in working with small communities on water and waste water 18 19 problems, the principal purpose of such grant shall be to 20 assist rural communities with populations of 3,300 or less, in improving the planning, financing, development, oper-21 22 ation, and management of water and waste water systems, 23 and of which not less than \$800,000 shall be for a qualified national Native American organization to provide technical assistance for rural water systems for tribal com-

- 1 munities: Provided further, That not to exceed
- 2 \$15,000,000 of the amount appropriated under this head-
- 3 ing shall be for contracting with qualified national organi-
- 4 zations for a circuit rider program to provide technical as-
- 5 sistance for rural water systems: Provided further, That
- 6 not to exceed \$4,000,000 shall be for solid waste manage-
- 7 ment grants: Provided further, That any prior year bal-
- 8 ances for high-energy cost grants authorized by section 19
- 9 of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936 (7 U.S.C. 918a)
- 10 shall be transferred to and merged with the Rural Utilities
- 11 Service, High Energy Cost Grants Account: Provided fur-
- 12 ther, That sections 381E–H and 381N of the Consolidated
- 13 Farm and Rural Development Act are not applicable to
- 14 the funds made available under this heading.
- 15 RURAL ELECTRIFICATION AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS
- 16 Loans Program account
- 17 (INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)
- The principal amount of direct and guaranteed loans
- 19 as authorized by sections 305 and 306 of the Rural Elec-
- 20 trification Act of 1936 (7 U.S.C. 935 and 936) shall be
- 21 made as follows: loans made pursuant to section 306 of
- 22 that Act, rural electric, \$5,000,000,000; guaranteed un-
- 23 derwriting loans pursuant to section 313A, \$500,000,000;
- 24 5 percent rural telecommunications loans, cost of money
- 25 rural telecommunications loans, and for loans made pursu-

- 1 ant to section 306 of that Act, rural telecommunications
- 2 loans, \$690,000,000: *Provided*, That up to
- 3 \$2,000,000,000 shall be used for the construction, acquisi-
- 4 tion, or improvement of fossil-fueled electric generating
- 5 plants (whether new or existing) that utilize carbon se-
- 6 questration systems.
- 7 In addition, for administrative expenses necessary to
- 8 carry out the direct and guaranteed loan programs,
- 9 \$34,478,000, which shall be transferred to and merged
- 10 with the appropriation for "Rural Development, Salaries
- 11 and Expenses".
- 12 DISTANCE LEARNING, TELEMEDICINE, AND BROADBAND
- 13 PROGRAM
- 14 For the principal amount of broadband telecommuni-
- 15 cation loans, \$24,077,000.
- 16 For grants for telemedicine and distance learning
- 17 services in rural areas, as authorized by 7 U.S.C. 950aaa
- 18 et seq., \$20,000,000, to remain available until expended.
- 19 For the cost of broadband loans, as authorized by
- 20 section 601 of the Rural Electrification Act, \$4,500,000,
- 21 to remain available until expended: Provided, That the
- 22 cost of direct loans shall be as defined in section 502 of
- 23 the Congressional Budget Act of 1974.
- In addition, \$10,372,000, to remain available until
- 25 expended, for a grant program to finance broadband

1	transmission in rural areas eligible for Distance Learning
2	and Telemedicine Program benefits authorized by 7
3	U.S.C. 950aaa.
4	TITLE IV
5	DOMESTIC FOOD PROGRAMS
6	Office of the Under Secretary for Food,
7	NUTRITION, AND CONSUMER SERVICES
8	For necessary expenses of the Office of the Under
9	Secretary for Food, Nutrition, and Consumer Services,
10	\$816,000.
11	FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICE
12	CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS
13	(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
14	For necessary expenses to carry out the Richard B.
15	Russell National School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1751 et
16	seq.), except section 21, and the Child Nutrition Act of
17	1966 (42 U.S.C. 1771 et seq.), except sections 17 and
18	21; \$20,523,795,000 to remain available through Sep-
19	tember 30, 2016, of which such sums as are made avail-
20	able under section 14222(b)(1) of the Food, Conservation,
21	and Energy Act of 2008 (Public Law 110–246), as
22	amended by this Act, shall be merged with and available
23	for the same time period and purposes as provided herein:
24	Provided, That of the total amount available, \$17,004,000
25	shall be available to carry out section 19 of the Child Nu-

- 1 trition Act of 1966 (42 U.S.C. 1771 et seq.): *Provided*
- 2 further, That of the total amount available, \$25,000,000
- 3 shall be available to provide competitive grants to State
- 4 agencies for subgrants to local educational agencies and
- 5 schools to purchase the equipment needed to serve
- 6 healthier meals, improve food safety, and to help support
- 7 the establishment, maintenance, or expansion of the school
- 8 breakfast program: Provided further, That of the total
- 9 amount available, \$27,000,000 shall remain available until
- 10 expended to carry out section 749(g) of the Agriculture
- 11 Appropriations Act of 2010 (Public Law 111–80).
- 12 SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION PROGRAM FOR
- WOMEN, INFANTS, AND CHILDREN (WIC)
- 14 For necessary expenses to carry out the special sup-
- 15 plemental nutrition program as authorized by section 17
- 16 of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (42 U.S.C. 1786),
- 17 \$6,623,000,000, to remain available through September
- 18 30, 2016: Provided, That notwithstanding section
- 19 17(h)(10) of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (42 U.S.C.
- 20 1786(h)(10)), not less than \$60,000,000 shall be used for
- 21 breastfeeding peer counselors and other related activities,
- 22 \$14,000,000 shall be used for infrastructure, \$30,000,000
- 23 shall be used for management information systems, and
- 24 \$25,000,000 shall be used for WIC electronic benefit
- 25 transfer systems and activities: Provided further, That

- 1 none of the funds provided in this account shall be avail-
- 2 able for the purchase of infant formula except in accord-
- 3 ance with the cost containment and competitive bidding
- 4 requirements specified in section 17 of such Act: Provided
- 5 further, That none of the funds provided shall be available
- 6 for activities that are not fully reimbursed by other Fed-
- 7 eral Government departments or agencies unless author-
- 8 ized by section 17 of such Act: Provided further, That
- 9 upon termination of a federally-mandated vendor morato-
- 10 rium and subject to terms and conditions established by
- 11 the Secretary, the Secretary may waive the requirement
- 12 at 7 CFR 246.12(g)(6) at the request of a State agency.
- 13 SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
- 14 For necessary expenses to carry out the Food and
- 15 Nutrition Act of 2008 (7 U.S.C. 2011 et seq.),
- 16 \$82,251,138,000, of which \$3,000,000,000, to remain
- 17 available through September 30, 2016, shall be placed in
- 18 reserve for use only in such amounts and at such times
- 19 as may become necessary to carry out program operations:
- 20 Provided, That funds provided herein shall be expended
- 21 in accordance with section 16 of the Food and Nutrition
- 22 Act of 2008: Provided further, That of the funds made
- 23 available under this heading, \$998,000 may be used to
- 24 provide nutrition education services to State agencies and
- 25 Federally recognized tribes participating in the Food Dis-

- 1 tribution Program on Indian Reservations: Provided fur-
- 2 ther, That this appropriation shall be subject to any work
- 3 registration or workfare requirements as may be required
- 4 by law: Provided further, That funds made available for
- 5 Employment and Training under this heading shall re-
- 6 main available through September 30, 2016: Provided fur-
- 7 ther, That funds made available under this heading for
- 8 a study on Indian tribal administration of nutrition pro-
- 9 grams, as provided in title IV of the Agricultural Act of
- 10 2014 (Public Law 113-79), and a study of the removal
- 11 of cash benefits in Puerto Rico, as provided in title IV
- 12 of the Agricultural Act of 2014 (Public Law 113–79) shall
- 13 be available until expended: Provided further, That funds
- 14 made available under this heading for section 28(d)(1) and
- 15 section 27(a) of the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 shall
- 16 remain available through September 30, 2016: Provided
- 17 further, That funds made available under this heading for
- 18 employment and training pilot projects, as provided in title
- 19 IV of the Agricultural Act of 2014 (Public Law 113–79),
- 20 shall remain available through September 30, 2018: Pro-
- 21 vided further, That funds made available under this head-
- 22 ing may be used to enter into contracts and employ staff
- 23 to conduct studies, evaluations, or to conduct activities re-
- 24 lated to program integrity provided that such activities are
- 25 authorized by the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008.

1 COMMODITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

2	For necessary expenses to carry out disaster assist-
3	ance and the Commodity Supplemental Food Program as
4	authorized by section 4(a) of the Agriculture and Con-
5	sumer Protection Act of 1973 (7 U.S.C. 612c note); the
6	Emergency Food Assistance Act of 1983; special assist-
7	ance for the nuclear affected islands, as authorized by sec-
8	tion 103(f)(2) of the Compact of Free Association Amend-
9	ments Act of 2003 (Public Law 108–188); and the Farm-
10	ers' Market Nutrition Program, as authorized by section
11	17(m) of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966, \$275,701,000,
12	to remain available through September 30, 2016: Pro-
13	vided, That none of these funds shall be available to reim-
14	burse the Commodity Credit Corporation for commodities
15	donated to the program: Provided further, That notwith-
16	standing any other provision of law, effective with funds
17	made available in fiscal year 2015 to support the Seniors
18	Farmers' Market Nutrition Program, as authorized by
19	section 4402 of the Farm Security and Rural Investment
20	Act of 2002, such funds shall remain available through
21	September 30, 2016: Provided further, That of the funds
22	made available under section 27(a) of the Food and Nutri-
23	tion Act of 2008 (7 U.S.C. 2036(a)), the Secretary may
24	use up to 10 percent for costs associated with the distribu-
25	tion of commodities

1	NUTRITION PROGRAMS ADMINISTRATION
2	For necessary administrative expenses of the Food
3	and Nutrition Service for carrying out any domestic nutri-
4	tion assistance program, \$150,824,000: Provided, That of
5	the funds provided herein, \$2,000,000 shall be used for
6	the purposes of section 4404 of Public Law 107–171, as
7	amended by section 4401 of Public Law 110–246.
8	TITLE V
9	FOREIGN ASSISTANCE AND RELATED
10	PROGRAMS
11	FOREIGN AGRICULTURAL SERVICE
12	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
13	(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
14	For necessary expenses of the Foreign Agricultural
15	Service, including not to exceed \$158,000 for representa-
16	tion allowances and for expenses pursuant to section 8 of
17	the Act approved August 3, 1956 (7 U.S.C. 1766),
18	\$182,563,000: Provided, That the Service may utilize ad-
19	vances of funds, or reimburse this appropriation for ex-
20	penditures made on behalf of Federal agencies, public and
21	private organizations and institutions under agreements
22	executed pursuant to the agricultural food production as-
23	sistance programs (7 U.S.C. 1737) and the foreign assist-
24	ance programs of the United States Agency for Inter-
25	national Development: Provided further, That funds made

- 1 available for middle-income country training programs,
- 2 funds made available for the Borlaug International Agri-
- 3 cultural Science and Technology Fellowship program, and
- 4 up to \$2,000,000 of the Foreign Agricultural Service ap-
- 5 propriation solely for the purpose of offsetting fluctuations
- 6 in international currency exchange rates, subject to docu-
- 7 mentation by the Foreign Agricultural Service, shall re-
- 8 main available until expended.
- 9 FOOD FOR PEACE TITLE I DIRECT CREDIT AND FOOD
- 10 FOR PROGRESS PROGRAM ACCOUNT
- 11 (INCLUDING RESCISSION AND TRANSFER OF FUNDS)
- For administrative expenses to carry out the credit
- 13 program of title I of the Food for Peace Act (7 U.S.C.
- 14 1701 et seq.) and the Food for Progress Act of 1985 (7
- 15 U.S.C. 1736o), \$2,528,000 shall be transferred to and
- 16 merged with the appropriation for "Farm Service Agency,
- 17 Salaries and Expenses": Provided, That of the unobligated
- 18 balances provided pursuant to title I of the Food for Peace
- 19 Act, \$13,000,000 are rescinded: Provided further, That no
- 20 amounts may be rescinded pursuant to the previous pro-
- 21 viso from amounts that were designated by the Congress
- 22 as an emergency requirement pursuant to a concurrent
- 23 resolution on the budget or the Balanced Budget and
- 24 Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985.

1	FOOD FOR PEACE TITLE II GRANTS
2	For expenses during the current fiscal year, not oth-
3	erwise recoverable, and unrecovered prior years' costs, in-
4	cluding interest thereon, under the Food for Peace Act
5	(Public Law 83–480), for commodities supplied in connec-
6	tion with dispositions abroad under title II of said Act,
7	\$1,466,000,000, to remain available until expended: Pro-
8	vided, That, for fiscal year 2015, the amount made avail-
9	able pursuant to section 412(e)(2) of the Food for Peace
10	Act (7 U.S.C. 1736f(e)(2)) to carry out nonemergency
11	food assistance programs under title II of such Act shall
12	be \$375,000,000.
13	MCGOVERN-DOLE INTERNATIONAL FOOD FOR EDUCATION
14	AND CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAM GRANTS
15	For necessary expenses to carry out section 3107 of
16	the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (7
17	U.S. C. 17360–1), \$198,126,000, to remain available until
18	expended: $Provided$, That the Commodity Credit Corpora-
19	tion is authorized to provide the services, facilities, and
20	authorities for the purpose of implementing such section,
21	subject to reimbursement from amounts provided herein.

1	COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION EXPORT (LOANS)
2	CREDIT GUARANTEE PROGRAM ACCOUNT
3	(INCLUDING TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
4	For administrative expenses to carry out the Com-
5	modity Credit Corporation's Export Guarantee Program
6	GSM 102 and GSM 103, \$6,748,000; to cover common
7	overhead expenses as permitted by section 11 of the Com-
8	modity Credit Corporation Charter Act and in conformity
9	with the Federal Credit Reform Act of 1990, of which
10	\$6,394,000 shall be transferred to and merged with the
11	appropriation for "Foreign Agricultural Service, Salaries
12	and Expenses", and of which \$354,000 shall be trans-
13	ferred to and merged with the appropriation for "Farm
14	Service Agency, Salaries and Expenses".
15	TITLE VI
16	RELATED AGENCIES AND FOOD AND DRUG
17	ADMINISTRATION
18	DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN
19	SERVICES
20	FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION
21	SALARIES AND EXPENSES
22	For necessary expenses of the Food and Drug Ad-
23	ministration, including hire and purchase of passenger
24	motor vehicles; for payment of space rental and related
25	costs pursuant to Public Law 92–313 for programs and

- 1 activities of the Food and Drug Administration which are
- 2 included in this Act; for rental of special purpose space
- 3 in the District of Columbia or elsewhere; for miscellaneous
- 4 and emergency expenses of enforcement activities, author-
- 5 ized and approved by the Secretary and to be accounted
- 6 for solely on the Secretary's certificate, not to exceed
- 7 \$25,000; and notwithstanding section 521 of Public Law
- 8 107–188; \$4,442,048,000: *Provided*, That of the amount
- 9 provided under this heading, \$798,000,000 shall be de-
- 10 rived from prescription drug user fees authorized by 21
- 11 U.S.C. 379h, and shall be credited to this account and
- 12 remain available until expended; \$128,282,000 shall be de-
- 13 rived from medical device user fees authorized by 21
- 14 U.S.C. 379j, and shall be credited to this account and re-
- 15 main available until expended; \$312,116,000 shall be de-
- 16 rived from human generic drug user fees authorized by
- 17 21 U.S.C. 379j-42, and shall be credited to this account
- 18 and remain available until expended; \$21,014,000 shall be
- 19 derived from biosimilar biological product user fees au-
- 20 thorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j-52, and shall be credited to
- 21 this account and remain available until expended;
- 22 \$22,464,000 shall be derived from animal drug user fees
- 23 authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j-12, and shall be credited
- 24 to this account and remain available until expended;
- 25 \$6,944,000 shall be derived from animal generic drug user

- 1 fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j–21, and shall be cred-
- 2 ited to this account and remain available until expended;
- 3 \$566,000,000 shall be derived from tobacco product user
- 4 fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 387s, and shall be credited
- 5 to this account and remain available until expended;
- 6 \$1,434,000 shall be derived from food and feed recall fees
- 7 authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j-31, and shall be credited
- 8 to this account and remain available until expended;
- 9 \$6,414,000 shall be derived from food reinspection fees
- 10 authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j-31, and shall be credited
- 11 to this account and remain available until expended; and
- 12 \$5,300,000 shall be derived from voluntary qualified im-
- 13 porter program fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 379j-31, and
- 14 shall be credited to this account and remain available until
- 15 expended: Provided further, That in addition and notwith-
- 16 standing any other provision under this heading, amounts
- 17 collected for prescription drug user fees, medical device
- 18 user fees, human generic drug user fees, biosimilar biologi-
- 19 cal product user fees, animal drug user fees, and animal
- 20 generic drug user fees that exceed the respective fiscal
- 21 year 2015 limitations are appropriated and shall be cred-
- 22 ited to this account and remain available until expended:
- 23 Provided further, That fees derived from prescription drug,
- 24 medical device, human generic drug, biosimilar biological
- 25 product, animal drug, and animal generic drug assess-

- 1 ments for fiscal year 2015, including any such fees col-
- 2 lected prior to fiscal year 2015 but credited for fiscal year
- 3 2015, shall be subject to the fiscal year 2015 limitations:
- 4 Provided further, That the Secretary may accept payment
- 5 during fiscal year 2015 of user fees specified under this
- 6 heading and authorized for fiscal year 2016, prior to the
- 7 due date for such fees, and that amounts of such fees as-
- 8 sessed for fiscal year 2016 for which the Secretary accepts
- 9 payment in fiscal year 2015 shall not be included in
- 10 amounts under this heading: Provided further, That none
- 11 of these funds shall be used to develop, establish, or oper-
- 12 ate any program of user fees authorized by 31 U.S.C.
- 13 9701: Provided further, That of the total amount appro-
- 14 priated: (1) \$913,784,000 shall be for the Center for Food
- 15 Safety and Applied Nutrition and related field activities
- 16 in the Office of Regulatory Affairs; (2) \$1,326,402,000
- 17 shall be for the Center for Drug Evaluation and Research
- 18 and related field activities in the Office of Regulatory Af-
- 19 fairs; (3) \$344,267,000 shall be for the Center for Bio-
- 20 logics Evaluation and Research and for related field activi-
- 21 ties in the Office of Regulatory Affairs; (4) \$171,783,000
- 22 shall be for the Center for Veterinary Medicine and for
- 23 related field activities in the Office of Regulatory Affairs;
- 24 (5) \$420,548,000 shall be for the Center for Devices and
- 25 Radiological Health and for related field activities in the

- 1 Office of Regulatory Affairs; (6) \$62,494,000 shall be for
- 2 the National Center for Toxicological Research; (7)
- 3 \$531,527,000 shall be for the Center for Tobacco Prod-
- 4 ucts and for related field activities in the Office of Regu-
- 5 latory Affairs; (8) not to exceed \$163,471,000 shall be for
- 6 Rent and Related activities, of which \$47,116,000 is for
- 7 White Oak Consolidation, other than the amounts paid to
- 8 the General Services Administration for rent; (9) not to
- 9 exceed \$228,839,000 shall be for payments to the General
- 10 Services Administration for rent; and (10) \$278,933,000
- 11 shall be for other activities, including the Office of the
- 12 Commissioner of Food and Drugs, the Office of Foods and
- 13 Veterinary Medicine, the Office of Medical and Tobacco
- 14 Products, the Office of Global and Regulatory Policy, the
- 15 Office of Operations, the Office of the Chief Scientist, and
- 16 central services for these offices: Provided further, That
- 17 not to exceed \$25,000 of this amount shall be for official
- 18 reception and representation expenses, not otherwise pro-
- 19 vided for, as determined by the Commissioner: Provided
- 20 further, That any transfer of funds pursuant to section
- 21 770(n) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21
- 22 U.S.C. 379dd(n)) shall only be from amounts made avail-
- 23 able under this heading for other activities: Provided fur-
- 24 ther, That funds may be transferred from one specified

- 1 activity to another with the prior approval of the Commit-
- 2 tees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress.
- In addition, mammography user fees authorized by
- 4 42 U.S.C. 263b, export certification user fees authorized
- 5 by 21 U.S.C. 381, priority review user fees authorized by
- 6 21 U.S.C. 360n, outsourcing facility fees authorized by 21
- 7 U.S.C. 379j-62, prescription drug wholesale distributor li-
- 8 censing and inspection fees authorized by 21 U.S.C.
- 9 353(e)(3), and third-party logistics provider licensing and
- 10 inspection fees authorized by 21 U.S.C. 360eee–3(c)(1),
- 11 may be credited to this account, to remain available until
- 12 expended.
- 13 BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES
- 14 For plans, construction, repair, improvement, exten-
- 15 sion, alteration, and purchase of fixed equipment or facili-
- 16 ties of or used by the Food and Drug Administration,
- 17 where not otherwise provided, \$8,788,000, to remain
- 18 available until expended.
- 19 INDEPENDENT AGENCIES
- 20 COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION
- 21 For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions
- 22 of the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. 1 et seq.), in-
- 23 cluding the purchase and hire of passenger motor vehicles,
- 24 and the rental of space (to include multiple year leases)
- 25 in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, \$217,578,000,

- 1 including not to exceed \$3,000 for official reception and
- 2 representation expenses, and not to exceed \$25,000 for the
- 3 expenses for consultations and meetings hosted by the
- 4 Commission with foreign governmental and other regu-
- 5 latory officials, of which \$52,578,000, shall be for the pur-
- 6 chase of information technology until September 30, 2016,
- 7 and of which not less than \$1,885,000 shall be for the
- 8 Office of the Inspector General: *Provided*, That the Chair-
- 9 man of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission shall
- 10 develop and report to the Committees of jurisdiction of
- 11 both Houses of Congress within 30 days after the date
- 12 of the enactment of this Act, a schedule of implementation
- 13 and sequencing of all rules, regulations, and orders under
- 14 section 716 or 722(d) of Public Law 111-203, section
- 15 1a(49)(D) or 4m of the Commodity Exchange Act, or any
- 16 of the amendments made by section 737 of Public Law
- 17 111–203, including all Commission cost benefit analyses
- 18 and studies relied upon in the formulation of any regula-
- 19 tions issued in implementing any of such sections or
- 20 amendments.
- 21 FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION
- 22 LIMITATION ON ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES
- Not to exceed \$54,000,000 (from assessments col-
- 24 lected from farm credit institutions, including the Federal
- 25 Agricultural Mortgage Corporation) shall be obligated

- 1 during the current fiscal year for administrative expenses
- 2 as authorized under 12 U.S.C. 2249: Provided, That this
- 3 limitation shall not apply to expenses associated with re-
- 4 ceiverships: Provided further, That the agency may exceed
- 5 this limitation by up to 10 percent with notification to the
- 6 Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Con-
- 7 gress.
- 8 TITLE VII
- 9 GENERAL PROVISIONS
- 10 (INCLUDING RESCISSIONS AND TRANSFERS OF FUNDS)
- 11 Sec. 701. Within the unit limit of cost fixed by law,
- 12 appropriations and authorizations made for the Depart-
- 13 ment of Agriculture for the current fiscal year under this
- 14 Act shall be available for the purchase, in addition to those
- 15 specifically provided for, of not to exceed 71 passenger
- 16 motor vehicles of which 68 shall be for replacement only,
- 17 and for the hire of such vehicles: Provided, That notwith-
- 18 standing this section, the only purchase of new passenger
- 19 vehicles shall be for those determined by the Secretary to
- 20 be necessary for transportation safety, to reduce oper-
- 21 ational costs, and for the protection of life, property, and
- 22 public safety.
- Sec. 702. Notwithstanding any other provision of
- 24 this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture may transfer unobli-
- 25 gated balances of discretionary funds appropriated by this

- 1 Act or any other available unobligated discretionary bal-
- 2 ances that are remaining available of the Department of
- 3 Agriculture to the Working Capital Fund for the acquisi-
- 4 tion of plant and capital equipment necessary for the deliv-
- 5 ery of financial, administrative, and information tech-
- 6 nology services of primary benefit to the agencies of the
- 7 Department of Agriculture, such transferred funds to re-
- 8 main available until expended: *Provided*, That none of the
- 9 funds made available by this Act or any other Act shall
- 10 be transferred to the Working Capital Fund without the
- 11 prior approval of the agency administrator: Provided fur-
- 12 ther, That none of the funds transferred to the Working
- 13 Capital Fund pursuant to this section shall be available
- 14 for obligation without written notification to and the prior
- 15 approval of the Committees on Appropriations of both
- 16 Houses of Congress: Provided further, That none of the
- 17 funds appropriated by this Act or made available to the
- 18 Department's Working Capital Fund shall be available for
- 19 obligation or expenditure to make any changes to the De-
- 20 partment's National Finance Center without written noti-
- 21 fication to and prior approval of the Committees on Ap-
- 22 propriations of both Houses of Congress as required by
- 23 section 720 of this Act: Provided further, That of annual
- 24 income amounts in the Working Capital Fund of the De-
- 25 partment of Agriculture allocated for the National Fi-

- 1 nance Center, the Secretary may reserve not more than
- 2 4 percent for the replacement or acquisition of capital
- 3 equipment, including equipment for the improvement and
- 4 implementation of a financial management plan, informa-
- 5 tion technology, and other systems of the National Fi-
- 6 nance Center or to pay any unforeseen, extraordinary cost
- 7 of the National Finance Center: Provided further, That
- 8 none of the amounts reserved shall be available for obliga-
- 9 tion unless the Secretary submits written notification of
- 10 the obligation to the Committees on Appropriations of the
- 11 House of Representatives and the Senate: Provided fur-
- 12 ther, That the limitation on the obligation of funds pend-
- 13 ing notification to Congressional Committees shall not
- 14 apply to any obligation that, as determined by the Sec-
- 15 retary, is necessary to respond to a declared state of emer-
- 16 gency that significantly impacts the operations of the Na-
- 17 tional Finance Center; or to evacuate employees of the Na-
- 18 tional Finance Center to a safe haven to continue oper-
- 19 ations of the National Finance Center.
- Sec. 703. No part of any appropriation contained in
- 21 this Act shall remain available for obligation beyond the
- 22 current fiscal year unless expressly so provided herein.
- Sec. 704. No funds appropriated by this Act may be
- 24 used to pay negotiated indirect cost rates on cooperative
- 25 agreements or similar arrangements between the United

- 1 States Department of Agriculture and nonprofit institu-
- 2 tions in excess of 10 percent of the total direct cost of
- 3 the agreement when the purpose of such cooperative ar-
- 4 rangements is to carry out programs of mutual interest
- 5 between the two parties. This does not preclude appro-
- 6 priate payment of indirect costs on grants and contracts
- 7 with such institutions when such indirect costs are com-
- 8 puted on a similar basis for all agencies for which appro-
- 9 priations are provided in this Act.
- 10 Sec. 705. Appropriations to the Department of Agri-
- 11 culture for the cost of direct and guaranteed loans made
- 12 available in the current fiscal year shall remain available
- 13 until expended to disburse obligations made in the current
- 14 fiscal year for the following accounts: the Rural Develop-
- 15 ment Loan Fund program account, the Rural Electrifica-
- 16 tion and Telecommunication Loans program account, and
- 17 the Rural Housing Insurance Fund program account.
- 18 Sec. 706. None of the funds made available to the
- 19 Department of Agriculture by this Act may be used to ac-
- 20 quire new information technology systems or significant
- 21 upgrades, as determined by the Office of the Chief Infor-
- 22 mation Officer, without the approval of the Chief Informa-
- 23 tion Officer and the concurrence of the Executive Informa-
- 24 tion Technology Investment Review Board: Provided, That
- 25 notwithstanding any other provision of law, none of the

- 1 funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this
- 2 Act may be transferred to the Office of the Chief Informa-
- 3 tion Officer without written notification to and the prior
- 4 approval of the Committees on Appropriations of both
- 5 Houses of Congress.
- 6 Sec. 707. Funds made available under section 1240I
- 7 and section 1241(a) of the Food Security Act of 1985 and
- 8 section 524(b) of the Federal Crop Insurance Act (7
- 9 U.S.C. 1524(b)) in the current fiscal year shall remain
- 10 available until expended to disburse obligations made in
- 11 the current fiscal year.
- 12 Sec. 708. Notwithstanding any other provision of
- 13 law, any former RUS borrower that has repaid or prepaid
- 14 an insured, direct or guaranteed loan under the Rural
- 15 Electrification Act of 1936, or any not-for-profit utility
- 16 that is eligible to receive an insured or direct loan under
- 17 such Act, shall be eligible for assistance under section
- 18 313(b)(2)(B) of such Act in the same manner as a bor-
- 19 rower under such Act.
- Sec. 709. Of the unobligated balances provided pur-
- 21 suant to section 12033 and section 15101 of the Food,
- 22 Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008, \$125,000,000 are
- 23 rescinded.
- Sec. 710. Except as otherwise specifically provided
- 25 by law, unobligated balances from appropriations made

- 1 available for salaries and expenses in this Act for the
- 2 Farm Service Agency and the Rural Development mission
- 3 area, shall remain available through September 30, 2016,
- 4 for information technology expenses.
- 5 Sec. 711. The Secretary of Agriculture may author-
- 6 ize a State agency to use funds provided in this Act to
- 7 exceed the maximum amount of liquid infant formula
- 8 specified in 7 CFR 246.10 when issuing liquid infant for-
- 9 mula to participants.
- 10 Sec. 712. None of the funds appropriated or other-
- 11 wise made available by this Act may be used for first-class
- 12 travel by the employees of agencies funded by this Act in
- 13 contravention of sections 301–10.122 through 301–10.124
- 14 of title 41, Code of Federal Regulations.
- 15 Sec. 713. In the case of each program established
- 16 or amended by the Agricultural Act of 2014 (Public Law
- 17 113–79), other than by title I or subtitle A of title III
- 18 of such Act, or programs for which indefinite amounts
- 19 were provided in that Act, that is authorized or required
- 20 to be carried out using funds of the Commodity Credit
- 21 Corporation—
- 22 (1) such funds shall be available for salaries
- and related administrative expenses, including tech-
- 24 nical assistance, associated with the implementation
- of the program, without regard to the limitation on

- 1 the total amount of allotments and fund transfers
- 2 contained in section 11 of the Commodity Credit
- 3 Corporation Charter Act (15 U.S.C. 714i); and
- 4 (2) the use of such funds for such purpose shall
- 5 not be considered to be a fund transfer or allotment
- 6 for purposes of applying the limitation on the total
- 7 amount of allotments and fund transfers contained
- 8 in such section.
- 9 Sec. 714. None of the funds made available in fiscal
- 10 year 2015 or preceding fiscal years for programs author-
- 11 ized under the Food for Peace Act (7 U.S.C. 1691 et seq.)
- 12 in excess of \$20,000,000 shall be used to reimburse the
- 13 Commodity Credit Corporation for the release of eligible
- 14 commodities under section 302(f)(2)(A) of the Bill Emer-
- 15 son Humanitarian Trust Act (7 U.S.C. 1736f-1): Pro-
- 16 vided, That any such funds made available to reimburse
- 17 the Commodity Credit Corporation shall only be used pur-
- 18 suant to section 302(b)(2)(B)(i) of the Bill Emerson Hu-
- 19 manitarian Trust Act.
- SEC. 715. Of the funds made available by this Act,
- 21 not more than \$1,800,000 shall be used to cover necessary
- 22 expenses of activities related to all advisory committees,
- 23 panels, commissions, and task forces of the Department
- 24 of Agriculture, except for panels used to comply with nego-

- 1 tiated rule makings and panels used to evaluate competi-
- 2 tively awarded grants.
- 3 Sec. 716. None of the funds in this Act shall be avail-
- 4 able to pay indirect costs charged against any agricultural
- 5 research, education, or extension grant awards issued by
- 6 the National Institute of Food and Agriculture that exceed
- 7 30 percent of total Federal funds provided under each
- 8 award: Provided, That notwithstanding section 1462 of
- 9 the National Agricultural Research, Extension, and
- 10 Teaching Policy Act of 1977 (7 U.S.C. 3310), funds pro-
- 11 vided by this Act for grants awarded competitively by the
- 12 National Institute of Food and Agriculture shall be avail-
- 13 able to pay full allowable indirect costs for each grant
- 14 awarded under section 9 of the Small Business Act (15
- 15 U.S.C. 638).
- 16 Sec. 717. None of the funds appropriated or other-
- 17 wise made available by this or any other Act shall be used
- 18 to pay the salaries and expenses of personnel to carry out
- 19 the following:
- 20 (1) The Watershed Rehabilitation program au-
- 21 thorized by section 14(h)(1) of the Watershed and
- Flood Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 1012(h)(1)) in ex-
- 23 cess of \$92,000,000.
- 24 (2) The Environmental Quality Incentives Pro-
- gram as authorized by sections 1240–1240H of the

- Food Security Act of 1985 (16 U.S.C. 3839aa–2 3829aa–8) in excess of \$1,391,000,000.
- 3 (3) The Agricultural Conservation Easement 4 Program established under subtitle H of title XII of 5 the Food Security Act of 1985 (16 U.S.C. 3685 et 6 seq.) in excess of \$365,000,000.
 - (4) The Conservation Stewardship Program as authorized by sections 1238D–1238G of the Food Security Act of 1985 (16 U.S.C. 3838d–3838g) in excess of \$1,166,000,000.
 - (5) The Biomass Crop Assistance Program authorized by section 9011 of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (7 U.S.C. 8111) in excess of \$15,000,000 in new obligational authority.
 - (6) The Rural Energy for America Program as authorized by section 9007 of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (7 U.S.C. 8107) in excess of \$30,000,000.
- 19 (7) The Biorefinery, Renewable Chemical and 20 Biobased Product Manufacturing Assistance pro-21 gram as authorized by section 9003 of the Farm Se-22 curity and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (7 U.S.C. 23 8103) in excess of \$22,000,000.
- SEC. 718. None of the funds appropriated or other-25 wise made available by this or any other Act shall be used

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- 1 to pay the salaries and expenses of personnel to carry out
- 2 a program under subsection (b)(2)(A)(vii) of section
- 3 14222 of Public Law 110–246 in excess of \$959,000,000,
- 4 as follows: Child Nutrition Programs Entitlement Com-
- 5 modities—\$465,000,000; State Option Contracts—
- 6 \$5,000,000; Removal of Defective Commodities—
- 7 \$2,500,000: Provided, That none of the funds made avail-
- 8 able in this Act or any other Act shall be used for salaries
- 9 and expenses to carry out in this fiscal year section
- 10 19(i)(1)(E) of the Richard B. Russell National School
- 11 Lunch Act, except in an amount that excludes the transfer
- 12 of \$122,000,000 of the funds to be transferred under sub-
- 13 section (c) of section 14222 of Public Law 110–246, until
- 14 October 1, 2015: Provided further, That \$122,000,000
- 15 made available on October 1, 2015, to carry out section
- 16 19(i)(1)(E) of the Richard B. Russell National School
- 17 Lunch Act, as amended, shall be excluded from the limita-
- 18 tion described in subsection (b)(2)(A)(viii) of section
- 19 14222 of Public Law 110–246: Provided further, That
- 20 none of the funds appropriated or otherwise made avail-
- 21 able by this or any other Act shall be used to pay the
- 22 salaries or expenses of any employee of the Department
- 23 of Agriculture or officer of the Commodity Credit Corpora-
- 24 tion to carry out clause 3 of section 32 of the Agricultural
- 25 Adjustment Act of 1935 (Public Law 74–320, 7 U.S.C.

- 1 612c, as amended), or for any surplus removal activities
- 2 or price support activities under section 5 of the Com-
- 3 modity Credit Corporation Charter Act: Provided further,
- 4 That of the available unobligated balances under
- 5 (b)(2)(A)(vii) of section 14222 of Public Law 110–246,
- 6 \$203,000,000 are rescinded.
- 7 Sec. 719. None of the funds appropriated by this or
- 8 any other Act shall be used to pay the salaries and ex-
- 9 penses of personnel who prepare or submit appropriations
- 10 language as part of the President's budget submission to
- 11 the Congress for programs under the jurisdiction of the
- 12 Appropriations Subcommittees on Agriculture, Rural De-
- 13 velopment, Food and Drug Administration, and Related
- 14 Agencies that assumes revenues or reflects a reduction
- 15 from the previous year due to user fees proposals that
- 16 have not been enacted into law prior to the submission
- 17 of the budget unless such budget submission identifies
- 18 which additional spending reductions should occur in the
- 19 event the user fees proposals are not enacted prior to the
- 20 date of the convening of a committee of conference for
- 21 the fiscal year 2016 appropriations Act.
- Sec. 720. (a) None of the funds provided by this Act,
- 23 or provided by previous Appropriations Acts to the agen-
- 24 cies funded by this Act that remain available for obligation
- 25 or expenditure in the current fiscal year, or provided from

- 1 any accounts in the Treasury derived by the collection of
- 2 fees available to the agencies funded by this Act, shall be
- 3 available for obligation or expenditure through a re-
- 4 programming, transfer of funds, or reimbursements as au-
- 5 thorized by the Economy Act, or in the case of the Depart-
- 6 ment of Agriculture, through use of the authority provided
- 7 by section 702(b) of the Department of Agriculture Or-
- 8 ganic Act of 1944 (7 U.S.C. 2257) or section 8 of Public
- 9 Law 89–106 (7 U.S.C. 2263), that—
- 10 (1) creates new programs;
- 11 (2) eliminates a program, project, or activity;
- 12 (3) increases funds or personnel by any means
- for any project or activity for which funds have been
- denied or restricted;
- 15 (4) relocates an office or employees;
- 16 (5) reorganizes offices, programs, or activities;
- 17 or
- 18 (6) contracts out or privatizes any functions or
- activities presently performed by Federal employees;
- 20 unless the Secretary of Agriculture, the Secretary of
- 21 Health and Human Services, or the Chairman of the Com-
- 22 modity Futures Trading Commission (as the case may be)
- 23 notifies, in writing, the Committees on Appropriations of
- 24 both Houses of Congress at least 30 days in advance of

- 1 the reprogramming of such funds or the use of such au-
- 2 thority.
- 3 (b) None of the funds provided by this Act, or pro-
- 4 vided by previous Appropriations Acts to the agencies
- 5 funded by this Act that remain available for obligation or
- 6 expenditure in the current fiscal year, or provided from
- 7 any accounts in the Treasury derived by the collection of
- 8 fees available to the agencies funded by this Act, shall be
- 9 available for obligation or expenditure for activities, pro-
- 10 grams, or projects through a reprogramming or use of the
- 11 authorities referred to in subsection (a) involving funds
- 12 in excess of \$500,000 or 10 percent, whichever is less,
- 13 that—
- 14 (1) augments existing programs, projects, or ac-
- 15 tivities;
- 16 (2) reduces by 10 percent funding for any exist-
- ing program, project, or activity, or numbers of per-
- sonnel by 10 percent as approved by Congress; or
- 19 (3) results from any general savings from a re-
- duction in personnel which would result in a change
- 21 in existing programs, activities, or projects as ap-
- proved by Congress; unless the Secretary of Agri-
- culture, the Secretary of Health and Human Serv-
- 24 ices, or the Chairman of the Commodity Futures
- 25 Trading Commission (as the case may be) notifies,

- 1 in writing, the Committees on Appropriations of
- 2 both Houses of Congress at least 30 days in advance
- of the reprogramming or transfer of such funds or
- 4 the use of such authority.
- 5 (c) The Secretary of Agriculture, the Secretary of
- 6 Health and Human Services, or the Chairman of the Com-
- 7 modity Futures Trading Commission shall notify in writ-
- 8 ing the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of
- 9 Congress before implementing any program or activity not
- 10 carried out during the previous fiscal year unless the pro-
- 11 gram or activity is funded by this Act or specifically fund-
- 12 ed by any other Act.
- 13 (d) As described in this section, no funds may be used
- 14 for any activities unless the Secretary of Agriculture, the
- 15 Secretary of Health and Human Services or the Chairman
- 16 of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission receives
- 17 from the Committee on Appropriations of both Houses of
- 18 Congress written or electronic mail confirmation of receipt
- 19 of the notification as required in this section.
- Sec. 721. Notwithstanding section 310B(g)(5) of the
- 21 Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (7 U.S.C.
- 22 1932(g)(5)), the Secretary may assess a one-time fee for
- 23 any guaranteed business and industry loan in an amount
- 24 that does not exceed 3 percent of the guaranteed principal
- 25 portion of the loan.

- 1 Sec. 722. None of the funds appropriated or other-
- 2 wise made available to the Department of Agriculture, the
- 3 Food and Drug Administration, the Commodity Futures
- 4 Trading Commission, or the Farm Credit Administration
- 5 shall be used to transmit or otherwise make available to
- 6 any non-Department of Agriculture, non-Department of
- 7 Health and Human Services, non-Commodity Futures
- 8 Trading Commission, or non-Farm Credit Administration
- 9 employee questions or responses to questions that are a
- 10 result of information requested for the appropriations
- 11 hearing process.
- 12 Sec. 723. Unless otherwise authorized by existing
- 13 law, none of the funds provided in this Act, may be used
- 14 by an executive branch agency to produce any pre-
- 15 packaged news story intended for broadcast or distribution
- 16 in the United States unless the story includes a clear noti-
- 17 fication within the text or audio of the prepackaged news
- 18 story that the prepackaged news story was prepared or
- 19 funded by that executive branch agency.
- Sec. 724. No employee of the Department of Agri-
- 21 culture may be detailed or assigned from an agency or
- 22 office funded by this Act or any other Act to any other
- 23 agency or office of the Department for more than 30 days
- 24 unless the individual's employing agency or office is fully

- 1 reimbursed by the receiving agency or office for the salary
- 2 and expenses of the employee for the period of assignment.
- 3 Sec. 725. None of the funds made available by this
- 4 Act may be used to pay the salaries and expenses of per-
- 5 sonnel who provide nonrecourse marketing assistance
- 6 loans for mohair under section 1201 of the Agricultural
- 7 Act of 2014 (Public Law 113–79).
- 8 Sec. 726. Not later than 30 days after the date of
- 9 enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture, the
- 10 Commissioner of the Food and Drug Administration, the
- 11 Chairman of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission
- 12 and the Chairman of the Farm Credit Administration
- 13 shall submit to the Committees on Appropriations of the
- 14 House of Representatives and the Senate a detailed spend-
- 15 ing plan by program, project, and activity for all the funds
- 16 made available under this Act including appropriated user
- 17 fees.
- 18 Sec. 727. Funds made available under title II of the
- 19 Food for Peace Act (7 U.S.C. 1721 et seq.) may only be
- 20 used to provide assistance to recipient nations if adequate
- 21 monitoring and controls, as determined by the Adminis-
- 22 trator of the U.S. Agency for International Development,
- 23 are in place to ensure that emergency food aid is received
- 24 by the intended beneficiaries in areas affected by food

- 1 shortages and not diverted for unauthorized or inappro-
- 2 priate purposes.
- 3 Sec. 728. The Secretary shall continue the pilot pro-
- 4 gram in effect for fiscal year 2013 for packaging and re-
- 5 viewing section 502 single family direct loans. The Sec-
- 6 retary shall continue agreements with current inter-
- 7 mediary organizations and not later than 90 days after
- 8 enactment of this Act enter into additional agreements
- 9 that increase the number of participating intermediary or-
- 10 ganizations to not less than 10. The Secretary shall work
- 11 with these organizations to increase the effectiveness of
- 12 the section 502 single family direct loan program in rural
- 13 communities and shall set aside and make available from
- 14 the national reserve section 502 loans an amount nec-
- 15 essary to support the work of such intermediaries and pro-
- 16 vide a priority for review of such loans.
- 17 Sec. 729. For loans and loan guarantees that do not
- 18 require budget authority and the program level has been
- 19 established in this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture may
- 20 increase the program level for such loans and loan guaran-
- 21 tees by not more than 25 percent: Provided, That prior
- 22 to the Secretary implementing such an increase, the Sec-
- 23 retary notifies, in writing, the Committees on Appropria-
- 24 tions of both Houses of Congress at least 15 days in ad-
- 25 vance.

1 SEC. 730. None of the funds made available by this 2 or any other Act may be used to write, prepare, or publish 3 a final rule or an interim final rule in furtherance of, or 4 otherwise to implement or enforce the proposed rule entitled "Implementation of Regulations Required Under Title 6 XI, of the Food, Conservation and Energy Act of 2008; Conduct in Violation of the Act" published by the Depart-8 ment of Agriculture in the Federal Register on June 22, 2010 (75 Fed. Reg. 35338 et seq.) unless the combined 10 annual cost to the economy of such rules does not exceed 11 \$100,000,000: Provided, That none of the funds made 12 available by this or any other Act may be used to publish 13 a final or interim final rule in furtherance of, or otherwise to implement, sections 201.2(1), 201.2(t), 201.2(u), 14 15 201.3(c), 201.210, 201.211, 201.213, or 201.214, as proposed to be added to title 9 of the Code of Federal Regula-16 17 tions, by such proposed rule: *Provided further*, That none 18 of the funds made available by this or any other Act may 19 be used to implement, enforce, or to take regulatory action 20 other than rescission or repeal based on, or in furtherance 21 of, 201.2(o), 201.3(a), or 201.215(a), of title 9 of the Code of Federal Regulations (as in effect on the date of 23 the enactment of this Act), or to write, prepare, or publish a final or interim final rule in furtherance of, or otherwise to implement, the definitions or criteria specified in such

- 1 sections: Provided further, That the Secretary of Agri-
- 2 culture shall, within 60 days after the date of enactment
- 3 of this Act, rescind sections 201.2(o), 201.3(a), and
- 4 201.215(a), of title 9 of the Code of Federal Regulations
- 5 (as in effect on such date).
- 6 Sec. 731. None of the credit card refunds or rebates
- 7 transferred to the Working Capital Fund pursuant to sec-
- 8 tion 729 of the Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and
- 9 Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropria-
- 10 tions Act, 2002 (7 U.S.C. 2235a; Public Law 107–76)
- 11 shall be available for obligation without written notifica-
- 12 tion to, and the prior approval of, the Committees on Ap-
- 13 propriations of both Houses of Congress: Provided, That
- 14 the refunds or rebates so transferred shall be available for
- 15 obligation only for the acquisition of plant and capital
- 16 equipment necessary for the delivery of financial, adminis-
- 17 trative, and information technology services of primary
- 18 benefit to the agencies of the Department of Agriculture.
- 19 Sec. 732. None of the funds made available in this
- 20 Act may be used for a project or program named for an
- 21 individual serving as a Member, Delegate, or Resident
- 22 Commissioner of the United States House of Representa-
- 23 tives.
- SEC. 733. For the 2014 fiscal year and each fiscal
- 25 year thereafter, losses under section 1501 of Public Law

- 1 113–79 shall not be considered the same loss for the pur-
- 2 poses of 7 U.S.C. 7333(i)(3) and 7 U.S.C. 1508(n).
- 3 Sec. 734. Of the funds made available to the Food
- 4 and Drug Administration, Salaries and Expenses, Office
- 5 of the Commissioner, \$20,000,000 shall not be available
- 6 for obligation until the Food and Drug Administration fi-
- 7 nalizes the draft guidance of January 2013 entitled
- 8 "Guidance for Industry: Abuse-Deterrent Opioids- Eval-
- 9 uation and Labeling": Provided, That if the Food and
- 10 Drug Administration fails to finalize such guidance by
- 11 June 30, 2015, such funds shall be made available for obli-
- 12 gation to the Food and Drug Administration's Office of
- 13 Criminal Investigation for the purpose of assisting Fed-
- 14 eral, state, and local agencies to combat the diversion and
- 15 illegal sales of controlled substances.
- 16 Sec. 735. None of the funds made available by this
- 17 Act may be used to enter into a contract, memorandum
- 18 of understanding, or cooperative agreement with, make a
- 19 grant to, or provide a loan or loan guarantee to any cor-
- 20 poration that was convicted of a felony criminal violation
- 21 under any Federal law within the 24 months preceding
- 22 the date of enactment of this Act, where the awarding
- 23 agency is aware of the conviction, unless a Federal agency
- 24 has considered suspension or debarment of the corporation

- 1 and made a determination that this further action is not
- 2 necessary to protect the interests of the Government.
- 3 Sec. 736. None of the funds made available by this
- 4 Act may be used to enter into a contract, memorandum
- 5 of understanding, or cooperative agreement with, make a
- 6 grant to, or provide a loan or loan guarantee to, any cor-
- 7 poration that has any unpaid Federal tax liability that has
- 8 been assessed, for which all judicial and administrative
- 9 remedies have been exhausted or have lapsed, and that
- 10 is not being paid in a timely manner pursuant to an agree-
- 11 ment with the authority responsible for collecting the tax
- 12 liability, where the awarding agency is aware of the unpaid
- 13 tax liability, unless a Federal agency has considered sus-
- 14 pension or debarment of the corporation and made a de-
- 15 termination that this further action is not necessary to
- 16 protect the interests of the Government.
- 17 Sec. 737. None of the funds appropriated or other-
- 18 wise made available by this or any other Act shall be used
- 19 to pay the salaries and expenses of personnel to carry out
- 20 section 307(b) of division C of the Omnibus Consolidated
- 21 and Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act, 1999
- 22 (Public Law 105–277; 112 Stat. 2681–640) in excess of
- 23 \$4,000,000.
- SEC. 738. None of the funds made available by this
- 25 Act may be used to exclude or restrict the eligibility of

- 1 any variety of fresh, whole, or cut vegetables, except for
- 2 vegetables with added sugars, fats, or oils, from being pro-
- 3 vided as supplemental foods under the special supple-
- 4 mental nutrition program for women, infants, and children
- 5 under section 17 of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (42)
- 6 U.S.C. 1786).
- 7 Sec. 739. Notwithstanding any other provision of
- 8 law, not later than 30 days after the date of enactment
- 9 of this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture shall establish
- 10 a process by which a State shall grant a waiver from com-
- 11 pliance with the final regulations published by the Depart-
- 12 ment of Agriculture in the Federal Register on January
- 13 26, 2012 (77 Fed. Reg. 4088 et seq.) for the 2014-15
- 14 school year to any school food authority located in the
- 15 State that verifies a net loss from operating a food service
- 16 program for a period of at least 6 months that begins on
- 17 or after July 1, 2013.
- 18 Sec. 740. It is the sense of Congress that Congress—
- 19 (1) celebrates May 8, 2014, as the 100th anni-
- versary of the enactment of the Smith-Lever Act
- and recognizes the significance of the establishment
- of a nationwide Cooperative Extension System;
- (2) encourages the people of the United States
- to observe and celebrate the centennial with a focus

- on launching an innovative and sustainable future for the Cooperative Extension System;
- 3 (3) honors the university faculty and local edu-4 cators who dedicate careers to providing trusted edu-5 cational programs to help people, families, youth, 6 businesses, and communities solve problems, develop 7 skills, and build a better future;
 - (4) thanks the volunteers who provide thousands of hours to promote excellence for 4–H Clubs, the Master Gardeners program, the Family and Consumer Sciences program, and other programs of the Cooperative Extension System in their communities;
 - (5) encourages continued collaboration and cooperation among Federal, State, and local governments to assure the sustainability of the Cooperative Extension System as the premiere non-formal educational network in the United States; and
 - (6) celebrates millions of youth, adults, families, farmers, ranchers, community leaders, and others who engage in cooperative extension learning opportunities designed to extend knowledge and change lives.

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- 1 Sec. 741. None of the funds made available in this
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- 3 sonnel to—
- 4 (1) inspect horses under section 3 of the Fed-
- 5 eral Meat Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 603);
- 6 (2) inspect horses under section 903 of the
- 7 Federal Agriculture Improvement and Reform Act of
- 8 1996 (7 U.S.C. 1901 note; Public Law 104–127); or
- 9 (3) implement or enforce section 352.19 of title
- 10 9, Code of Federal Regulations.
- 11 Sec. 742. None of the funds made available by this
- 12 Act may be used to procure processed poultry products
- 13 imported into the United States from the People's Repub-
- 14 lie of China for use in the school lunch program under
- 15 the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act (42
- 16 U.S.C. 1751 et seq.), the Child and Adult Food Care Pro-
- 17 gram under section 17 of such Act (42 U.S.C. 1766), the
- 18 Summer Food Service Program for Children under section
- 19 13 of such Act (42 U.S.C. 1761), or the school breakfast
- 20 program under the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (42
- 21 U.S.C. 1771 et seq.).
- 22 Spending reduction account
- SEC. 743. The amount by which the applicable alloca-
- 24 tion of new budget authority made by the Committee on
- 25 Appropriations of the House of Representatives under sec-

- 1 tion 302(b) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 ex-
- 2 ceeds the amount of proposed new budget authority is \$0.
- 3 This Act may be cited as the "Agriculture, Rural De-
- 4 velopment, Food and Drug Administration, and Related
- 5 Agencies Appropriations Act, 2015".

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A BILL

Making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015, and for other purposes.

June 4, 2014

Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed